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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We choose Sonic a couple years ago as our provider as our large prior provider did not give us reliable, high speed access. In addition, the cost differential was quite large. We have been so happy with Sonic who is local, easy to reach, very responsive. We had used DSL through Comcast and it was expensive, out of service intermittently (with no explanation) and would slow down to a crawl on a regular basis.

Broadband is essential to our lives in every facet now - work, life and leisure and it needs to be dependable and affordable for all.

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